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NATURE'S ARCANUM.

IT IS REVEALED BY HOWLAND'S WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.

An Invention by Which Hidden Wealth May Be Unearthed and Ledges of the Precious Metals Traced to Their Abiding Places.

S. W. Howland is one of those practical mineralogists who neglect no means by which the treasures of the earth may be made to manifest themselves to the mundane seekers after affluence.

He is a resident of this city at the present time, and for many years past has been working on an invention which, if his story is correct, will revolutionize prospecting for the precious metals.

Mr. Howland was the original locator of the gold mine near Fort Brown, on the Cleveland place, five miles from this city, and according to statements made by those who were interested in the development of that now abandoned claim, every assertion he made to the promoters of the enterprise has been proven by subsequent discoveries.

Howland is a man aged about 60 years. During the long period in which he has been engaged in prospecting he has studied the electrical affinity between ledges of precious metals and the magnetic needle, and has arrived at the conclusion that no matter how strenuously scientists may deny its existence there is an affinity which must necessarily disclose itself under proper conditions.

Imbued with this idea, he claims to have invented an apparatus which will invariably locate a leage containing either gold or silver, or which will indicate with mechanical exactitude the place of deposit of precious metals.

The apparatus invented by Mr. Howland, and which he will be pleased to show to those of his friends who are interested in his discoveries, consists of a Y-shaped piece of metal, the base of which is composed of brass. The instrument is about six inches long and four broad. The points are of iron, but the hollow covering between the points of the Y is of brass. Between the upper and the lower sheets of brass is a magnetic needle.

This needle, so cunningly concealed between the two layers of brass, does the work.

At the delta of the Y two wooden sticks are inserted, and the proprietor grasps these in his hands. He then travels over a ridge in which he imagines minerals to be concealed. Like a witch-hazel, when a ridge containing mineral is approached, the apparatus turns down in the hands of the holder, and points out the exact location of the mineral belt.

Mr. Howland is one of those who do not wish to hide their light under a bushel. He says his invention will do all he claims for it and mentions mines now being worked profitably which were discovered by him with his little machine.

THE RAILROAD CASE.

Foster and Markham's Position Definitely Upheld.

According to a decision handed down by the supreme court Friday last, the organization of the San Francisco and North Pacific railway is likely to remain intact for two or three years to come, and the proposed consolidation of that road with the North Pacific Coast railway, which has been the cause of an immense amount of litigation in two counties, is now made impossible, while the contract between Sidney V. Smith, A. W. Foster and Andrew Markham remains in force.

The opinion handed down by the supreme court Friday was in the case of Sidney V. Smith vs. A. W. Foster, appealed by Foster from the decision of Judge Seawell of the superior court. The fight between the stockholders of the San Francisco and North Pacific is of a year's standing. When the 42,000 shares of railroad stock belonging to the Donahue estate were sold by Judge Angelotti of Marin county to a syndicate composed of Sidney V. Smith, A. W. Foster and Andrew Markham, those three gentlemen entered into a contract to vote the stock as a unit in the election of directors for a period of five years. A year ago Smith attempted to withdraw from the contract and vote his stock in favor of a consolidation with the North Pacific Coast railway, but at the annual election was prevented from doing so by President A. W. Foster.

After some litigation in Marin county suit was commenced by Smith in the superior court of San Francisco to declare void the election in question. It was shown in the trial of the case before Judge Seawell that President Foster had prevented the voting of 8000 shares of stock held in New York and represented at the stockholders' meeting by Anton Borel, on the ground that the holders of the same were not bona fide stockholders, and it was also shown that Sidney V. Smith had been prevented from voting his 13,000 of the 42,000 shares of stock held by the three parties to the agreement mentioned. This action on the part of President Foster prevented the election of Smith as a director in the company.

In its decision Friday last the supreme court upheld President Foster on both points, taking the view that the New York parties who held the 8000 shares represented by Borel were not bona fide stockholders, and holding in respect to the contract between Smith, Foster and Markham that it was legal and binding until it expires by limitation. This decision is a victory for Foster and Markham, and is calculated to upset the plans of Smith and the stockholders of the North Pacific Coast railway to effect a consolidation of the two companies, at least for the present.

The supreme court also settled the case involving similar points on appeal from Judge Angelott's court. The court held that the case had become of no consequence, and so dismissed the appeal.

Learned Away From Home.

An important move was made week before last in the development of the large redwood timber belt of Ornbaun valley, near Yorkville, Mendocino county, about twenty miles from Cloverdale. From a rough estimate it is thought there are 100,000,000 feet of standing timber available. August Wherspon, a wellknown mill man of Guerneville, has contracted, says the Blue Lakes Advocate, to purchase the stumpage from John S. Ornbaun, the owner of the tract, and he has already begun tearing down his mill near Guerneville, to be set up again at the site for the new plant, with additional machinery to be added to increase the capacity of the mill to 30,000 feet per day. Ornbaun valley is on the headwaters of the Garcia river, and the hills are low, with few deep canyons, thus affording great convenience in logging. The land, in fact, is perfectly adapted for a sawmill site. It is stated that the expense of manfacturing the lumber from the standing timber in the forest to the yard will be less than one-half of that necessary at Guerneville.

Reports of Deaths.

Reports from 51 cities, towns, villages, and sanitary districts, aggregating a population of 744,280, shows a morality of 1075—a death rate of 1.44 per 1000 for December, or 17.28 per 1000 per annum. There were 181 deaths from consumption, 91 from pneumonia, 26 from bronchitis, 7 from congestion of the lungs, 3 from diarrhœa and dysentery, 5 from cholera infantum, 63 from other diseases of the stomach and bowels, 24 from diphtheria, 5 from croup, 1 from measles, 2 from whooping cough, 23 from typhoid fever, 6 from malarial fevers, 5 from cerebro-spinal fevers, 47 from cancer, three from erysipelas, 117 from diseases of the heart, 2 from alcoholism, 463 from all other causes, 2 of which were from la grippe. Reports of prevailing diseases from 25 localities outside of the larger cities and towns give 99 cases of pneumonia, 124 of bronchitis, 17 of pleurisy, 22 of congestion of the lungs, 50 of diarrhœa, 17 of dysentery, 4 of cholera morbus, 2 of cholera infantum, 37 of croup, 4 of scarlatina, 152 of measles, 36 of whooping cough, 197 of la grippe, 11 of typhoid fever, 99 of malarial fevers, 4 of cerebro-spinal fevers, 10 of erysipelas, 89 of rheumatism, 76 of neuralgia, 46 of tonsilitis, and 56 of pharyngitis. Measles were epidemic at Forest Hill, Cambria, Fresno, Etna Mills, Watsonville, Marysville and Sacramento.

The Farmers' Institute.

A. O. Carpenter has received a communication from Edward F. Adams of the University of California in regard to the farmers' institute to be held in this city Friday and Saturday, February 18 and 19. Mr. Adams outlines the program to be rendered on the dates mentioned as follows: Friday, February 18—"Relations of University to Farmers," Prof. E. J. Wickson; "Pruning," John Crawford; "Resistant Vines," A. P. Hayne. Evening—"Shade and Ornamental Trees," Carl Purdy; "Progress of Floriculture in California," Prof. E. J. Wickson. Saturday, February 19—"Drainage," L. W. Babcock; "Varieties of Olives," A. P. Hayne; "Prunes," Dr. E. W. King. The entertainment promises to be one of more than ordinary interest to the people of Mendocino county.

THE DEADLY BULLET

ROUND VALLEY AGAIN THE SCENE OF HOMICIDE.

Jeremiah Hulett Shoots and Instantly Kills John Kinney—The Culmination of Many Previous Quarrels—Joel Eveland Holds an Inquest on the Remains.

COVELO, January 18.—On Tuesday, the 12th inst, Jeremiah M. Hulett shot John Kinney, killing him instantly. The deceased resided on what is known as the Fitz range, about 20 miles east of this city, and Hulett also resides on the same range. They have had considerable trouble at different times.

Last election day Kinney accused Hulett of giving information that caused his vote to be challenged. Kinney hunted Hulett up and used language that the latter objected to, and he emphasized his resentment by knocking Kinney down. Kinney got up with his pistol in his hand, but the bystanders prevented further trouble at that time.

Mr. Kinney is said to have been very contumacious, worrying and otherwise injuring—even to the extent of killing—other people's stock which chanced to stray onto his claim.

On the day of the homicide Hulett, hearing Kinney's dog worrying stock, sent his son George to see what occasioned the uproar. The boy being gone longer than he thought needful, Hulett went himself to investigate the trouble. When he arrived on the scene, Kinney was talking to George Hulett in an abusive and hostile manner. Hulett objected to Kinney's language, whereupon Kinney turned to him and said: "Perhaps you want some of it," or words to that effect. At the same time Kinney commenced to handle his gun (a Winchester) in a very threatening manner. Hulett then drew his pistol and shot him. One shot did the business. Hulett came to town and gave himself up to the officers.

Joel Eveland, justice of the peace and acting coroner, empaneled a jury and held an inquest. The verdict of the jury was "that John Kinney came to his death from the effects of a bullet wound, fired from a pistol held in the hand of Jeremiah Hulett."

N. B.

SAVED BY A SCRATCH

YOUNG DODGE NARROWLY ESCAPES HANGING.

The Usal Assassin Found Guilty of Murder in the First Degree but the Jury Recommends Imprisonment for Life as the Punishment.

The trial of John Dodge for the murder of John Mudgett was concluded Friday afternoon last, and at 5 o'clock the case was given to the jury.

After deliberating over five hours the jury brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree and imposed a penalty of life imprisonment.

It is understood that on the first ballot the jury stood ten for the extreme penalty, one for life imprisonment and one for murder in the second degree. The matter was then compromised as stated.

Throughout the trial young Dodge displayed no evidences of perturbation. The horrifying recital of his brutal crime caused no visible indication of either pity or remorse.

As soon as the jury had handed in its verdict the district attorney moved for the dismissal of the charge against Ida Dodge, accused as accessory after the fact. Judge Mannon granted the request on the showing that there was not evidence sufficient to convict.

Monday next was the day fixed for pronouncing judgment.

The newspapers of the state are commenting adversely on the attitude of the juryman who saved the neck of the heartless assassin of John Mudgett. There can be no question regarding the leniency of the verdict. If a criminal ever yet deserved the extreme penalty of the law it is John Dodge.

The murder of Mudgett was not the first crime committed by this vagrant halfbreed. According to stories told by those who know him well, the life of young Dodge has been one long attempt at living without work by preying upon his neighbors.

Chandler Smith, one of the witnesses in the Mudgett case, tells of a visit he made to the home of the murdered stockman some days before the crime was committed. On that occasion he remained over night at the Mudgett cabin, and was aroused during the night by the barking of his dog. From the action of the animal Smith knew that the brute's rage was due to the presence of a human being.

After Smith left the Mudgett cabin the following day he met young Dodge, and in the conversation which ensued Dodge told him that he had been at Mudgett's cabin the night before, and detailed the conversation he had overheard between Smith and Mudgett. The barking of a strange dog had evidently warned young Dodge that Mudgett had company, and thus the life of the latter had been spared a few days longer.

There can be no question but that Dodge had gone to Mudgett's house that night to kill him.

Some years ago Dodge killed a young fellow in Humboldt county. He was acquitted on the ground that the killing had been accidental, but many neighbors then believed that the young halfbreed had wantonly slain his companion.

The case for Dodge was conducted by J. W. Johnston, and it would have been better for the people had a less able attorney been employed.

THEY WANT THE EARTH.

Woolen Mill Proprietors Desire to Locate Near This City.

The establishment of a woolen mill in this city would be an enterprise well worth encouraging, but THE PRESS is doubtful if the people would entertain a proposition such as the one submitted below:

A site of from five to ten acres of level land must be donated, the same to be close to the railroad and in a locality where clear and pure water can be had the year round without cost. The water is necessary for steam, wool-washing, etc. The site must be also where labor can be engaged at reasonable wages; only white men and women to be employed. Cheap fuel is one of the leading necessities, and no less than 75 to 100 cords of wood would be purchased per month by the company. The promoters demand that the people of this valley furnish them gratis the necessary lumber for the buildings, estimated at 250,000 feet, and a cash bonus, the amount of which is to be left to the people's generosity.

The Game Tomorrow.

Following will be the lineup of the Petaluma and Ukiah football teams at the match game tomorrow afternoon:

PETALUMA.	POSITIONS.	UKIAH.
Respini	center	Waugh
Schuman	right guard	Lance
Alexander	left guard	Heger
Comesford	right tackle	Finley
Brandon	left tackle	McPeak
Goshen (captain)	right end	Thomas
Achuff	left end	Rogers
Graves	right half back	W. Estes
Lovejoy	left half back	Finne
Hall	quarter back	Van Allen
Scott	full back	(capt.) F. Estes

Subs—Petaluma: McGuire, Rutherford, Harvey and Williams.

Subs—Ukiah: Hart, Cunningham and Holman.

A social dance will be given in honor of the visitors in the evening at Marks' opera house.

The Superior Court.

The case of the people against Charles Stanford, accused of an unspeakable crime, occupied the superior court for the major portion of the week. The case was tried with closed doors and the jury, after deliberating half an hour, returned a verdict of not guilty Wednesday afternoon.

In the matter of the Angle estate, the application for a family allowance was continued.

The present term of court came to a close yesterday morning. Judge Mannon will pronounce judgment on John Dodge Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Santa Rosa high school students have invited the high schools of Ukiah, Healdsburg, Petaluma and Sonoma valley to each elect a delegate to meet in Santa Rosa during the first part of February for the purpose of arranging a field day. The high schools have signified their intention to respond to the invitation.

Henry Smith, who has been seriously ill with a severe attack of pneumonia for several weeks past, was reported to be much better this morning. The recent foggy weather has had a depressing effect upon Mr. Smith, but it is now considered that immediate danger is past.

D. Burns, a young gentleman who with his father came here with a band of horses from Washington some weeks ago, died at the residence of Mrs. Stump in this city last week.

A MODERN GOLGOTHA

GHASTLY EVIDENCES OF A STARTLING CRIME.

The Crumbling Remains of a Man Unearthed on the Bank of Russian River. A Possible Solution of the Mystery—An Inquest Held.

Sunday afternoon last two young sons of J. B. Hoss, who resides near this city, were out enjoying themselves fishing in Russian river. While passing a point on the McGarvey ranch, below the asylum bridge, the attention of the youthful fishermen was attracted to a human arm which they discovered protruding from a sand bank near the margin of the stream.

The boys notified the proper authorities and late Sunday night the remains of the hastily buried man were brought to this city and deposited in the undertaking-rooms of Cook Brothers.

Monday morning Coroner Barker summoned a jury consisting of W. W. Porterfield, George Whitehorn, Rufus Lucas, J. S. Thomason, John Orr, W. H. Lyon and Frank Weger, and an inquest was held upon the body.

The body on which the inquest was held hardly bore the semblance to a human being. It was almost completely denuded of flesh, shreds of tissue alone holding the bones together.

From the testimony adduced from Dr. Stout, the physician who made the autopsy, it was evident that the cadaver had been lying in the dank sand four or five months at the time it was discovered. The skull had evidently been crushed by a blunt instrument—probably the back of an ax or hatchet.

The body was encased in an overshirt and a pair of overalls, in the pocket of which was found a 25-cent silver piece. The garments had been nearly destroyed by the elements.

After viewing the remains the jury decided that the body was that of an unknown man who had come to his death from violence at the hands of parties unknown.

As is usual in cases such as these there were many theories advanced in regard to the death of the person on whose remains the inquest was held.

W. W. Fisher, who lives near thescene of the exhumation, believes the body to have been that of a man named George Hight, a friend of his whose disappearance some months ago has not yet been accounted for.

Fisher says that Hight was a resident of Mendocino, who made periodical trips to this city as a peddler of shellfish. Hight had been divorced from his wife some months ago, and the lady was now a resident of Blocksburg.

Fisher lives on the J. P. Hoffman place, and says that some months since Hight told Portuguese Frank, who lives across the river, that he was going to Cloverdale to secure a bill of goods, which he was going to peddle around the valley. Since Hight's departure nothing has been heard from him by Fisher, who was an intimate friend. Consequently Fisher thinks that the body found may be that of his friend Hight, whom he believes to have been killed and robbed.

The most probable theory regarding the tragedy is the one advanced by J. R. Jones. Mr. Jones is a miner, and was employed for some time on the Edwards brothers' copper claim on Red Mountain.

"About the first of September last," says Mr. Jones. "I was working on the Edwards brothers' claim on Red Mountain. I had occasion to come to town on matters connected with the mine, and passed close to the place where the body recently unearthed was discovered. I saw, encamped near the spot where the body was found by the Hoss boys, a woman aged about fifty, a girl of perhaps eighteen, and a man of about sixty years of age.

"The parties were strangers in this portion of the country, and engaged me in conversation. The rig they came in was dilapidated, and it looked as though they were all in extremis, as far as support was concerned. The elder woman was strong and healthy, but the old gentleman was sitting down and I had no opportunity to observe him carefully. The elderly woman cast frequent glances at the old man, and told me that he was no good; that she and the young girl were forced to support him, and that they were tired of it.

"When I heard of the recent tragedy it at once occurred to me that probably the two women had taken the opportunity of putting the old man out of the way."

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PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

It is stated, and apparently true, that commanders of British ships lying idle in San Francisco harbor are underfeeding and overworking their men for the purpose of inducing them to desert.

R. L. Jeffrey, a hotel man at Astoria, Or., while intoxicated kicked George Collins and probably fatally injured him. Jeffrey was drunk.

General Miles, as chief of the ordnance board, has asked congress to appropriate funds aggregating $3,000,000 for guns and other fittings for fortifying four points on the Pacific coast. San Francisco and San Diego, mouth of the Columbia and Puget sound.

The grand jury at Sacramento is likely to investigate the alleged frauds committed in the organization of the legislature.

Rev. H. C. Benson, a pioneer Methodist preacher, and well known throughout Coast church circles, died at Santa Clara, Cal., a few days ago.

The severe snow storms in Southern California mountains have driven many deer into the orchards and meadows for food.

Hilborn of California has introduced a bill in the house granting to Hannah D. Crane and others the right to sue the government for the rental and value of lands now occupied by the mint in San Francisco, in which they claim an undivided one-sixth interest.

Glendora, Cal., was shaken up by an explosion of giant powder in a drug store which did considerable damage to houses and frightened the people.

The congregation over which Rev. C. C. McLean presided at Los Angeles has objected to his longer serving the church on account of his action in the so-called Parkhurst movement inaugurated there to suppress vice.

Sonoma county has a republican majority of supervisors, who have just elected democrats to county positions.

Albert Gautenbein, employed in the woolen mills at Oregon City, accidentally fell into a vat of boiling dye and was badly burned. He begged to be killed to end his suffering.

The governor of California issued a proclamation declaring Saturday, January 16th, a legal holiday on account of the defeat of the refunding bill. The legislature was about the only body to recognize the occasion, and its members wanted to visit home, apparently.

M. B. Moraghan, who made a fortune by raising oysters in San Francisco bay, died a few days ago.

A juror came into court in San Francisco last week intoxicated. Judge Cook sent him to jail to sober up.

A. M. Dering of Riverside has invented an orange picking bag.

Yreka is to have a new up-to-date hotel, with forty-five rooms, to cost $25,000.

The hobos in the county jail at Santa Ana have gone on a strike and refuse to work.

A cave discovered at San Diego is believed to have been made and equipped for the receipt of stolen goods.

The Santa Clara County Floral Society will have a bulb show some time in February. The society has elected Mrs. J. F. Thompson president.

The Maricopa county, A. T., board of supervisors have exacted from the county treasurer a bond of $100,000, which is $25,000 higher than two years ago.

A Georgia amateur detective has written to Sheriff Lyndon at San Jose for money to go after Dunham, whom he claims is now in Florida.

The walnut growers at Goleta are grubbing out and cutting into wood all the old English walnut trees of the old varieties, and will transplant the improved variety of paper shell nut.

Blind staggers is killing horses in Alsea valley, Or. R. S. Bradley in Benton lost a team from the disease. Other horses in the valley were affected and a few other deaths are reported.

Peter Peterson, an old Arizonan and for several years an employe of the Southern Pacific company in the bridge building department, was crushed to death near Benson by falling earth and timber.

The movement in favor of a new court-house at San Bernardino has twice been defeated by popular vote, but those who favor a bond issue for that purpose propose to once more agitate the matter.

The remains of Robert J. Muellner, a young medical student who committed suicide in the grounds of Stanford University some months ago, and who was buried in the potter's field in San Jose, will be disinterred and shipped to relatives in Philadelphia.

Water is more valuable in Randsburg than gold. A number of wells are being sunk, and it is thought a good flow will be struck at a depth not exceeding sixty feet.

The notary who claims to have taken acknowledgements of the Fair deeds and other valuable documents in favor of Mrs. Craven, the alleged contract widow, has been arrested on a charge of perjury.

California is in the throes of a legislative scandal. One hundred and seventeen employees where ten were ample. Chief Clerk Duckworth claims that all his useless salary drawers were appointed at the request of some member of the assembly.

William Furay was arrested at Los Angeles and held for further trial. He put up $500 cash bail. The result of his trial was acquittal. In the meantime the clerk of the court absconded with the cash bail. Now the Justice has to make good the loss.

The Oregon legislature had a hard preliminary skirmish, a roll call twice a day without a quorum being one of the incidents.

Oscar Asherman, who disappeared from his home in Oregon in 1889, has recently died at Phœnix, Ariz. He confessed before he died that he murdered a miner near Corvalis, Or., from whom he got $30,000. Asherman's father is now trying to find the stolen money, which was buried near Sandusky, O., to restore it to the heirs of his son's victim.

A pot of gold was found in Berkeley, Cal., by men engaged to clean out a well. It is supposed to have been put there by an eccentric old woman who is now dead.

In the police court in San Francisco Professor Gleason, the noted horse trainer, was acquitted of the charge of cruelty to animals.

Mrs. Alice M. Hartley, who was serving a sentence in the Nevada state prison for killing State Senator M. D. Foley, has been pardoned.

Thomas Harris, one of the proprietors of the Merced, Cal., Star, one of the best known newspaper men in California, is dead.

Withdrawals of deposits have forced the Seattle, Wash., Savings Bank to suspend business.

Editor George M. Francis of the Napa, Cal., Register, has been delegated by the electors to act as messenger to convey California's vote to the electoral college.

William M. Roe was hanged in the jail at Napa on Friday, and went down to his death with absolute indifference. His crimes were many and black if his own statements are true, and the country can get on without him.

One hundred and fifty tons of freight are received in Randsburg daily.

The public schools of Benson, A. T., are closed on account of diphtheria.

Citizens of Hanford are pledging funds to maintain the Park Band.

Phoenix is planning for the erection of a $25,000 opera-house, the site to cost almost as much more.

A salt bed project is on for Long Beach, similar to that long in operation at San Diego. Evaporating tanks are to be made west of town.

Fred Burnham, the American scout who killed the Matabele witch doctor, has been living in Pasadena for some time, but will soon return to South Africa.

The Arizona legislature was organized by the election of Fred G. Hughes of Pima president of the council and D. Y. Chalmers of Pima speaker of the house.

Dennis McCarthy has been sentenced at Santa Rosa, Cal., to be executed on April 16th for the cold blooded murder of George Fox, a farm hand.

William Hespe, a rancher near Ontario, Cal., was shot head in his buggy and his horse went home, taking the dead man safely. The deed is supposed to have been done for robbery, as the rancher was thought to have money on his person.

Senator Perkins says that he would prepare at once and introduce a bill for the creation of a department of mines and mining, and had great hopes of the success of the measure.

The California legislature has abolished the position of game warden.

Senator J. P. Jones of Nevada was chosen to succeed himself in the United States upper house.

Sheriff Fransham and Deputy Jack Allen of Bogeman, Mont., were shot, the latter fatally, while trying to arrest Frank Morgan, an outlaw.

Citizens of Wheeling, West Virginia, will send a committee to San Francisco in May, for the purpose of launching the gunboat "Wheeling" now being constructed by the Union Iron Works.

San Francisco doctors have examined the brain of Murderer Roe who was hanged at Napa last week, and find it much under normal weight.

The Los Angeles City Council has refused to elect G. J. Griffith, who recently donated 3000 acres of land to the city for park purposes, a member of the Park Commission.

Ex-Governor Altgeld of Illinois has been nominated by the democrats as their candidate for the United States senate.

REPORT OF

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Public Administrator

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County of Mendocino

State of California

To the Honorable J. M. Mannon, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino State of California.

J. H. Barker, Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino, State of California, respectfully makes this return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1896, and ending January 1, 1897, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 1736, of the Code of Civil procedure:

DATE	NAMES OF DECEDENTS	Approximate value of estate as far as ascertained	Money which has come into the hands of the administrator	Funeral expenses, debts, etc., paid by the administrator	Fees and expenses paid by the administrator	Balance cash in the hands of the administrator	Money in savings banks not withdrawn by administrator	Distributed to heirs
		$	$	$	$	$	$	$
July 20, 1894	John Doody, de bonis non	1260 00						
May 15, 1894	Steward J. Kresge, de bonis non	1324 00						
January 20, 1895	Frank Knight	336 23	336 23					
March 14, 1895	Andrew Horn	400 00	89 50	201 67				
November 12, 1895	Charles Felton	1365 18	47 05					
September 13, 1895	Susan Berg	4240 00						
March 30, 1896	Ranch Angle	20617 25	1717 20					
June 29, 1896	R. L. Simmons	250 00						
February 12, 1896	Hester Gloyd	254 30	15 00					
August 25, 1894	A. N. Usher	3010 00	793 17	775 46	183 00			
December 29, 1894	Christian Christiansen	275 00	275 00	149 26	277 63			
August 10, 1895	Francisco Del Grosso	300 00	300 00	94 70	112 00			
June 1, 1894	Donald McLeod, de bonis non	550 00	128 00	112 10	55 55			
February 12, 1896	William Burns	950 00			92 99			
February 12, 1896	Peter McCarthy	397 48			473 39			
February 12, 1896	Gilbert F. Mack	160 00			6 95			
May 15, 1894	Joseph Marshall	68 00	68 00		6 50			
November 21, 1896	J. A. H. Mudgett	4000 00			125 74			
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA }
County of Mendocino }

J. H. Barker, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the public administrator of the county aforesaid, and that the foregoing is a full, true and correct return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore named: that he is not and was not at any time interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any estate he administers, nor is he associated in business or otherwise with any one who is so interested.

J. H. BARKER,
Public Administrator.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of January, 1897.
WM. HELD, JR., Notary Public. jan 15 feb 19

Do You Want to Stop Drinking?

Inquired a young gentleman of a friend who had long been addicted to the liquor habit. "I certainly do," replied his friend. "Why do you ask?" "Because, if you do why don't you stop?" "That's easier said than done," responded the other. "I have tried time and again, but it's no go. I can't withstand the temptation. It's utterly impossible for me to resist. I don't possess the will power you did when you quit." "There was no exhibition of will power on my part," replied the other. "I found it as useless as yourself to resist the temptation; but I wanted to stop, so I experimented with the Fittz Alcohol Cure. It's easy to take: it builds up the system, and after the first five days the desire all leaves you. Consult Dr. G. W. Stout."

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AT HOME AND ABROAD

CURRENT EVENTS BRIEFLY EPITOMIZED BY THE PRESS.

A Weekly Record of Local Occurrences Throughout the County—Social Happenings During the Week Ending at Noon Today.

O. R. Myers was up from Hopland Tuesday.

Cloverdale is soon to be lighted with electricity.

Miss Anna Banks is visiting friends in Lake county.

Grant Cook was on the coast last week on a business visit.

J. G. and Miss Laura Foster of Covelo were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Anker visited friends in Cloverdale last week.

Bob White of Canto visited friends in this city the past week.

The Caspar Lumber company will shortly put in a wire chute.

J. H. Saunders has been making a professional tour of the coast.

The Mendocino public school will open the first of the coming month.

O. C. Wilkinson of this city has been granted an increase of pension.

M. Cushing of Willits was down on a visit the early part of the week.

Fred E. Alter, a Santa Rosa violinist, has been visiting friends in this city.

Mendocino has received $28,684.80 as her apportionment of state school money.

Louis Abraham, the wellknown hop-grower, is up from his Healdsburg home.

George T. Walker of Potter valley spent Monday doing business at the county seat.

There was born to the wife of W. N. Nuckolls of this city a daughter, January 15th.

R. S. Ammen, subscription agent of The Bulletin, was registered at the Grand Tuesday.

J. H. Brush, proprietor of the local water system, is up from Santa Rosa on a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Point Arena, who were visiting in this city last week, have returned home.

H. B. Seavey, who has charge of the Alhambra hotel in Mendocino, spent the past week in this city.

Miss Genevieve Kelton of this city will take charge of the Sail Rock school, near Point Arena, next term.

Miss Ella Hollingsworth of this city has been engaged to teach the Blue Rock school, near Cummings.

Mrs. J. D. Curtis of this city spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Walker of Cloverdale.

According to The Beacon D. Crockett of Whitesboro accidentally cut off four of his toes last week while chopping wood.

Miss Addie Lance left this city Monday for Healdsburg, where she will visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

Lem Montague, who has been spending some weeks with his brother-in-law, W. H. Haskell of Point Arena, has returned to his home in Round valley.

L. G. Simmons, chief of the Palace sample rooms, who was slightly indisposed during the early part of the week, is again greeting his many friends.

Superintendent Rhodes has apportioned the county's share of the state semi-annual apportionment—$28,684.80, just received. Each teacher gets $225.

John Todd and wife left this city Saturday last for the southern part of the state, where they will remain during the winter in hopes of benefitting their health.

Francis M. Davidson jr. and Miss Belle Kerr were married in this city Sunday evening at the residence of the groom's sister, Mrs. William Gibson, Rev. Charles Luce officiating.

According to a dispatch in Thursday's Chronicle, Charles M. Mannon of this city has been elected vice-president of the juniors for the present semester at Stanford university.

The ladies of the Christian church, assisted by the young people, will give a Martha Washington program and supper on February 19th. It will be a representation of colonial times.

Miss Martha B. Winter of Oakland is in this city in hopes of organizing a kindergarten. Miss Winter is a graduate of the California kindergarten training school, and is an accomplished young lady of very pleasing address.

S. B. Laughlin of Fort Brown has made a contract for the construction of a hall at his Cold-creek resort. The building will be 20 x 40 feet in dimensions, and will no doubt be the scene of many festivities during the approaching tourist season.

The drama Hick'ry Farm will be produced by local talent February 6th, under the supervision of Miss Nina B. Hughes. A short scene from the Polish Boy will be given before the play and one from Macbeth afterward. This entertainment is given for the benefit of the associated charities.

Chief Ranger E. G. Case returned from a visit to the bay city lodges Monday last. Mrs. Case had accompanied the doctor and was on a visit to her mother in San Francisco when a telegram summoned her to the bedside of her little daughter, who had been taken suddenly ill. The child is now convalescent and will soon be able to resume her play.

The statement made in a contemporary to the effect that B. S. Hirsch was going to retire from the Grand hotel is entirely without foundation. On the contrary, the Grand will shortly be refitted in elegant shape, and its appointments will be superior to those of any house north of San Rafael. This will all be done in time for the spring rush. Landlord Hirsch is one of the most noted caterers in California.

Henry Lockhart of Inglenook proved up on a homestead in that section of the county Wednesday. As an evidence of the fact that the land he had filed upon was more suitable for agricultural than any other purpose Mr. Lockhart filed a half dozen potatoes with the county clerk which, had they been scientifically excavated, would have made elegant canoes. W. A. H. Ware of the same place also completed his filing at the same time.

Dennis Buckley came over from Fort Bragg Monday to go into the drydock at the county farm. While working in the woods lately he suffered the displacement of an arm and came over for necessary repairs. Dennis is a wellknown politician, and his knowledge of county politics covers nearly half a century. To be exact, it will be 40 years this spring since Dennis first located at Fort Bragg. During all those years he has been a firm partisan of Jefferson, but he frequently forgets party affiliations long enough to plunk it for a Republican.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County,

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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Resolutions of Respect.

To the worshipful master wardens and members of Abell lodge, No. 146, F. & A. M.: Your committee appointed to prepare resolutions of respect to the memory of our deceased brother, Daniel Potter Beasore, beg leave to present the following:

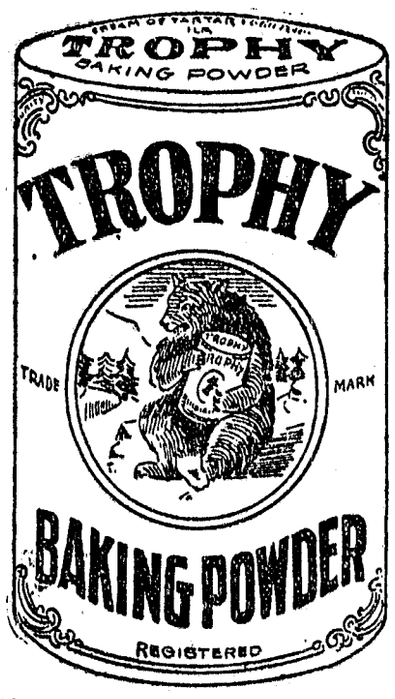
Whereas, Another has been called from labor to eternal refreshment at the command of the supreme grand master of the universe, thus taking from us one of our brethren to swell the number in that unknown land whither our fathers have gone before us and leaving another vacant place in our fraternal circle; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Brother Daniel Potter Beasore this lodge has lost a faithful member; the fraternity at large a just and upright man and Mason; the community a valued neighbor and citizen, and his family a kind and considerate father; and, be it

Resolved, That as a lodge we extend to the family of our deceased brother our sincerest sympathy in their sad bereavement and join with them in mourning his loss; and, be it

Resolved, That a memorial page be set apart in the records of our lodge, and that these resolutions be spread thereon and that a copy be furnished to each of the newspapers in this town for publication.

Respectfully submitted, Committee,
W. I. BAILEY,
W. H. CHESSALL,
W. T. KIRKWOOD.



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WHEAT—No. 1 shipping, $1 55 per ctl; choice, $1 56¼; milling, $1 60 to 1 65.

BARLEY—Feed, 82½ to 85c per ctl; brewing, 92½c to $1; Chevalier, nominal.

OATS—White, $1 10 to $1 35 per ctl, as to quality; milling, $1 25 to $1 35; Surprise, $1 50 to $1 60; gray, nom; black for seed, $1 20 to 1 30; do feed, 95c to $1 10; red, $1 07½ to 1 25; Clipped, $1 35 to 1 50.

HAY—Wheat, $8 00 to 11 00 per ton; Wheat and Oat, $7 to 10; Barley, $5 to 8 50; Alfalfa, $6 to 7 50; Wild Oat, $6 to 8 50; Clover, $6 to 7 50; Stock, $4 50 to 5 50; Compressed, $6 to 9 50.

STRAW—30 to 50c per bale.

CORN—Large yellow, 75 to 79c per ctl; small do, 90 to 95c; white, 75 to 80c.

BEANS—Pea, $1 20 to 1 35 per ctl; small white, $1 20 to 1 30; large do, $1 05 to 1 15; Bayo, $1 45 to 1 55; Pink, $1 10 to $1 20; Horsebeans, $1 to 1 10; Butter, large, $1 25 to 1 50; Lima, $1 60 1 80; Blackeyes, $1 15 to 1 20; Red Kidney, $2 to 2 50.

HOPS—Good to fancy, 7½ to 12c per lb for new crop; 2½ to 5c for old.

BUCKWHEAT—$1 00 to 1 25 per ctl.

DRIED PEAS—Green, $1 25 to 1 40 per ctl; Niles, 90c to $1 15.

Vegetables.

ONIONS—From 90c to $1 10 per ctl on wharf.

POTATOES—65 to 75c per ctl for Early Rose; river Red, 60 to 70c; river Burbanks, 60 to 70c; Salinas, common to choice, 70 to 85c; do fancy, 90c to $1 05; Petaluma and Tomales Burbanks 60 to 80c; Oregon do, 75 to 95c; Sweets, $1 to 1 25 for river, $1 50 to 1 60 for Merced.

VARIOUS—Tomatoes, 50 to 75c per box; Green Peppers, 3 to 5c; Green Okra, 50 to 65c; Dried do, 10 to 12½c; Garlic, 1½ to 2c per lb; Mushrooms, 5 to 15c per lb; Cream Squash, 25c; String Beans, 6 to 10c per lb; Green Peas, 4 to 5c; Rhubarb, 75 to 1 25 per box; Summer Squash, 75 to 1 00; Asparagus, 7 to 12½c per lb; Horse Radish, 4 to 5c; Cucumbers, 50c to $1 00.

Fruits, Raisins and Nuts.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, 40c to $1 box; Cranberries, $6 00 to 8 00 per bbl; Lemons, California, $1 to 2 50; Limes, Mexican, $6 00 to 6 50 per case; do California, $1 50 to $2 per box; Oranges, Navels, 1 75 to $2 50 per box; Seedlings, 75c to $1 25; Mandarin, 75c to 1 00; Bananas, $1 to 2 50 per bunch; Pineapples, $1 25 to 3 per doz; Smyrna Figs, new crop, 13 to 15c per lb; Persian Dates, 6c per lb.

DRIED FRUIT—San Francisco Fruit Exchange jobbing quotations: Apricots, fancy Moorpark, 13c per lb; choice do, 12c; fancy, 10c; choice, 8½c; standard, 7c; prime, 6½c. Peaches, fancy, 6½c; choice, 5½c; standard, 5c; prime, 4½c; peeled, in boxes, 12½c. Pears, fancy halves, 6½c; quarters, 5½c; choice, 4½ to 5c; standard, 4c; prime, 2½ to 3c. Plums, pitted, 4½c; unpitted, 1½c. Prunes, 4 sizes, 3¾. Nectarines, fancy, 5½c; choice, 4½; standard, 4c; prime, ——. White Figs, choice, 65 to 70c. Apples, sun dried, 2½c; evaporated, 6c.

RAISINS—Jobbing prices for sacks or 50-lb boxes, 4-crown loose, 5½c per lb; 3-crown, 4½c; 2-crown, 3¾c; Seedless Sultana, 5½c; do Muscatel, 4½c; 20-lb boxes, 3-crown London Layers, $1 30; clusters, $1 60; Dehesa clusters, $2 75; Imperial clusters, $3 25.

NUTS—Jobbing prices: Almonds, 6 to 10c per lb; Walnuts, California, 7 to 8c for hard shell and 9 to 10c for soft; Brazil, 9 to 10c; Filberts, 9 to 10c; Polished Pecans, Texas 9 to 10c; Pinenuts, 9 to 10c; Peanuts, 4 to 5c for California; do Eastern, 5 to 5½c; Cocoanuts, $4 50 to 5 per 100; California Chestnuts, 8 to 10c.

Butter, Cheese and Honey.

BUTTER—Creamery fancy, 20 to 21c per lb; do seconds, 18 to 19c; Fancy Dairy, 14 to 16c; good to choice do, 12 to 14c; Pickled rolls and squares, 15 to 16c, Keg, 15 to 16c; Creamery, in tubs, 18 to 19c.

CHEESE—California, 8 to 11 per lb; Young America, 11 to 12c; New York Cream, 13½ to 14½ for new; California Cream Cheddars, 10 to 12c.

HONEY—Bright Comb, 10 to 12½c per lb; other grades, 6 to 9c; extracted, 4½c for amber and 5½c for light do.

BEESWAX—From 24 to 27½c per lb.

Poultry, Eggs and Game.

POULTRY—California: Hens, $4 00 to 5 00 per doz; Broilers, $2 50 to 3 50 for small and $4 00 to 4 50 for large; Fryers, $4 25 to 4 50; Roosters, $4 to 4 25 for old and $4 25 to 4 50 for young; Geese, $1 50 to 1 75 per pair; Ducks, $4 50 to 5 00 for old and $5 00 to 6 50 for young; Turkeys, 12 to 18c per lb; dressed do, 13 to 15c; Pigeons, 75c to 1 00 per doz for old and $1 25 to $1 50 for young.

EGGS—California, Ranch, 23 to 25c per doz; store, 19 to 21.

GAME—Hare, $1 per doz; Rabbits, $1 25 to $1 50; Grey Geese, $3 00; White do, 75c to $1; Brant, $1 50 to 1 75; Quail, $1 to 1 25; Mallard Ducks, $3 50 to 4 00; Teal, $1 25 to 1 50; Sprig, $1 75 to 2 00; Widgeons, $1 25 to 1 50; Small Ducks, $1 00 to $1 25; Snipe, English, $2 50; do Common, $1 25 to 1 50.

Wholesale Meat Prices.

BEEF—Choice, 6 to 6½ per lb; fair to good, 5 to 6c.

VEAL—5 to 6c per lb for large; do small, 7 to 8c.

LAMB—7 to 8c per lb.

MUTTON—6 to 7c per lb.

HOGS—Live, 3½c per lb for 150 to 200 lbs in weight.

Complaints are being made that some of the merchants of Tucson are engaged in the unlawful practice of furnishing arms and ammunition to the Yaquis.

Dr. Schiffman of Los Angeles, has caused the arrest of Dr. Cobalt on a charge of misdemeanor embezzlement. He claims that Cobalt stole the gold fillings out of the teeth he drew while in the employ of the complainant.

A Chicago judge has rendered a decision by which it is held that no physicion is allowed to charge over one hundred dollars a day for services.

The British Indian ship Warren Hastings was totally wrecked off the island of Reunion on Thursday last. The troops and crew, 1232 men, were all saved.

The Daily Telegraph's financial article says: It is stated on good authority that $5,000,000 in bullion is about to be shipped from New York to England.

The body of a man supposed to be "Bat" Sheedy, a Chicago pugilist, has just been found in the mud on the shore of the Hutchinson river, near the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, New York. It is reported that Sheedy was walking across the trestle on his way to New York when set upon by thieves, knocked senseless with a coupling pin, robbed of his valuables and thrown into the mud ten feet below.

President-elect McKinley has written to his army friend and former neighbor, George Stanton of Glendora, Cal., thanking him for a box of naval oranges sent three weeks ago. "It is the hope of Mrs. McKinley and myself," said Major Mckinley in the letter, "that some day we may come and see where these oranges grow. Neither of us has ever experienced the delight of a winter in the semi-tropics, but we have made many plans to do so some day."

Miss Ellen Gretchell, residing in Humboldt county, will lose one of her eyes as the result of an accident. The young lady had asked her brother to hand her a pair of scissors, and he complied by playfully tossing them to her. She made an effort to catch them but failed, and the point of one of the blades struck her in the eye, destroying the sight.

Round valley, Cal., was the scene of another fatal quarrel between stockmen last week. John Kenny was shot and killed by J. M. Hulett.

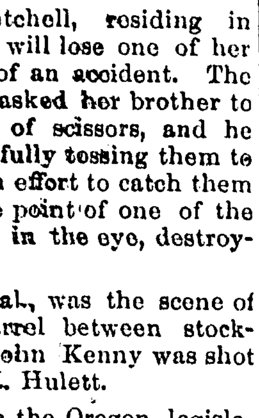
The dead-lock in the Oregon legislature continues, and no quorum has been obtained to organize the house. A Sunday session was held. The senatorial fight is the bone of contention.

Judge McKenna of San Francisco called on President-elect McKinley last week, presumably in response to a special invitation. This is regarded as an indication that the Pacific coast is to have one member in the next cabinet.

The Human Electrical Forces!

How They Control the Organs of the Body.

The electrical force of the human body, as the nerve fluid may be termed, is an especially attractive department of science, as it exerts so marked an influence on the health of the organs of the body. Nerve force is produced by the brain and conveyed by means of the nerves to the various organs of the body, thus supplying the latter with the vitality necessary to insure their health. The pneumogastric nerve, as shown here, may be said to be the most important of the entire nerve system, as it supplies the heart, lungs, stomach, bowels, etc., with the nerve force necessary to keep them active and healthy. As will be seen by the cut the long nerve descending from the base of the brain and terminating in the bowels is the pneumogastric, while the numerous little branches supply the heart, lungs and stomach with necessary vitality. When the brain becomes in any way disordered by irritability or exhaustion, the nerve force which it supplies is lessened, and the organs receiving the diminished supply are consequently weakened.



Physicians generally fail to recognize the importance of this fact, but treat the organ itself instead of the cause of the trouble. The noted specialist, Franklin Miles, M. D., LL. B., has given the greater part of his life to the study of this subject, and the principal discoveries concerning it are due to his efforts.

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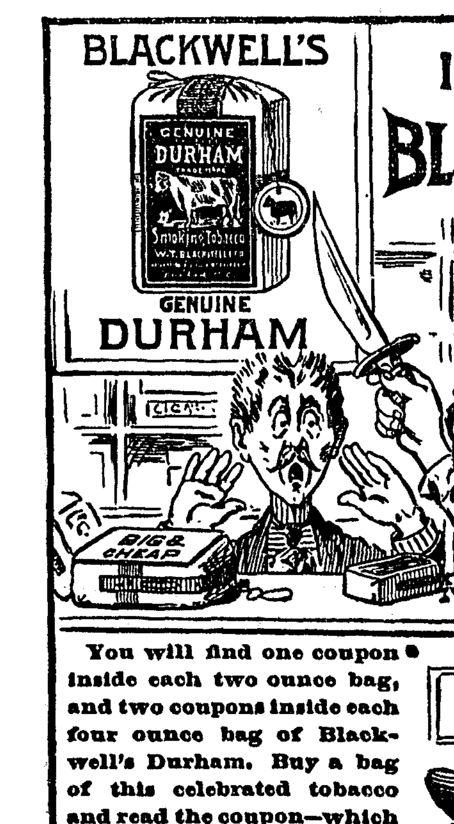

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OFFICIAL TIME SCHEDULE.

LEAVE UKIAH		EFFECTIVE Oct. 14, 1896	ARRIVE UKIAH	
Week-days.	Sun-days.	To and From	Sun-days.	Week-days.
1:00 pm	2:05 pm	San Francisco San Rafael Petaluma Santa Rosa Healdsburg Lytton Cloverdale and Intermediates	1:15 p m	12.30pm
1:00 pm	2:05 pm	Glen Ellen Sonoma and Intermediates	1:15 p m	12.30pm
1:00 pm	2:05 pm	Sebastopol and Intermediates	1:15 p m	12.30pm
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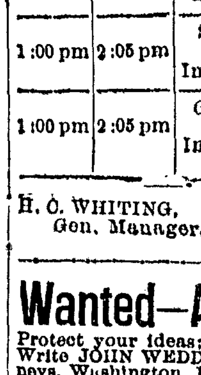

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